

## THE 321ST INFANTRY

Below is a Regimental Field Order of peculiar interest to men of the 321st. It was the order that sent them "over the top," 6 a. m., November 11.

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| Field Orders }<br>No. 9. } | Headquarters 321st Infantry,<br>11 November, 1918, 3:00 A. M. |
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1. The enemy still holds Hautecourt and the line Hautecourt-Bois de Manhuelles. This regiment will attack at 6:00 hours.

2. Ultimate objective of the attack is Warcq. Main strength of first attack will be directed against Hautecourt and will envelope Montricelle Bois and flank the enemy's line west of Montricelle.

3. This regiment will be reinforced by Cos. A and B, 317th M. G. Bn., by Cos. B, C and D of the 1st Bn., 322d Infantry, by the 2d Bn., 306th Engrs. (less 1 Co.) and by two Cos. 306th Am. Sup. Tr.

4. The 1st and 3d Bns. will attack enemy positions straight to their fronts. The 2d Bn., leaving Moranville, will proceed northeast between Le Grand Cognon and Le Petite Cognon woods, thence attacking enemy positions south of Hautecourt and flanking Bois de Montricelle. Co. B, 317th M. G. Bn., is assigned to the 2d Bn. and its C. O. will report to C. O. 2d Bn. for orders.

5. The C. O. 2d Bn., 306th Engrs., will hold one company as regimental infantry reserve near the regimental P. C. He will use the other companies to maintain the repair of roads leading to Moranville and immediately repair the bridge on Moulainville-Moranville road just west of Moranville. The companies of the 306th Am. Sup. Tr. will be used to bring forward ammunition supply and to assist the Engrs. in work on the road.